

**REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2009, Applicants elected to prosecute Group I (claims 1-21) without traverse and that election is confirmed herein. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2525. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would in any way expedite the prosecution of the application, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned at telephone (707) 543-5484.

Respectfully submitted,

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